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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of : October 4, 2006
Y. A. Baransky, et al : Group Art No.: 2134
Serial No. 09/468,377 : Examiner: Andrew Nalven
Filed: December 20, 1999 : IBM Corporation
Title: A METHOD OF SECURELY SHARING 3173 Cedar Road
INFORMATION OVER PUBLIC Yorktown Hts, N.Y. 10598
NETWORKS USING UNTRUSTED
SERVICE PROVIDERS AND TIGHTLY
CONTROLLING CLIENT ACCESSIBILITY

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated April 4, 2006 for the above-identified patent application, Applicants submit a Request for Continued Examination, a Petition for Extension of Time, the requisite fee, and the following:

Amendments to the claims as reflected in the Listing of claims which begins on page 2; and

Remarks/Arguments which begin on page 17.

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